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MONEY IS KING.

The Destiny of Nations Is Shaped By Money Monarchs.

Kings, Princes, Statesmen and Politicians Yield to the Powerful Rothschilds.

And They Make Peace or War, To Suit Their Interest.

(New York Tribune.)

Although during the last two or three weeks of Cretan imbroglio the telegraphic dispatches have kept people on this side of the Atlantic so abundantly informed regarding the opinions and intentions of the rulers and principal statesmen of Europe as completely to mystify persons of average intelligence—since each fresh dispatch published has conflicted in the most flagrant manner with those that have previously appeared—yet, for some reason or another, the American people have been left in complete ignorance concerning the views of those whose opinions are of immeasurably greater importance in the present crisis, namely, the so-called "Princes of Finance" in London, Paris, Berlin and Vienna. It is they who, far more than monarch or premier, control the situation of the moment, and who hold in their hands the keys of the temple of Bellona. The question as to whether the great gates of the latter are to remain open or shut is determined no longer by the caprice of an Emperor, or by the whim of a Prime Minister, but by those who dominate the money market.

There are times when the interests of these gentry of what is known as "La Haute Banque" would be advanced by an outbreak of war, as affording an opportunity of profitable investment in neutral countries. It was this that induced them to sanction the conflict between France and Germany in 1870, and between Turkey and Russia seven years later. Just at the present moment, however, a war would disturb their calculations and mar success of a number of undertakings which they have in hand, and the result is that they are determined to preserve the peace of Europe at all costs, no matter whether it is Turkey or Greece that has to be coerced in order to attain this end. And that is why the world in the last ten days has been called upon to witness the astounding and otherwise inexplicable spectacle of warships of the great Powers of Europe being used to bombard the unfortunate Christian inhabitants of Crete when endeavoring to defend their families and their homes from massacre, outrage and destruction by the barbarous Turks

The shells hurled by the allied fleet at the Cretans and at their Grecian sympathizers were fired in defiance not only of public opinion of the entire civilized world—popular sympathy on both sides of the Atlantic being all with the Cretans and the Greeks—but likewise in direct opposition to the inclinations of the various reigning houses of Europe. The Empress-mother of Russia is the favorite sister of King George of Greece.

Moreover, the Crown Prince of Greece, married to one of Queen Victoria's most cherished granddaughters, is a particular favorite of Her British Majesty, and it is well known that her sympathies, as well as those of the Prince and Princess of Wales, are all with King George and his family in the present crisis. This did not, however, prevent England's magnificent iron clads from bombarding Greeks and Cretans alike, from training her guns on ships and towns over which the Greek flag was waving and from taking a leading part in coercing the plucky little kingdom of the Hellenes.

With no crowned head in Europe does King George stand on a more intimate footing than with Francis Joseph of Austria. Yet the navy of Austria's chivalrous Caiser jointed that of Queen Victoria and of Emperor Nicholas in endeavoring to reduce Greece to subjection, and received the co-operation of the fleet of France—a nation which, in the early part of the present century, gave expression to its enthusiastic admiration for Greece by actually sending an army of 8,000 men under the command of Marshal Maison to help her in her war of independence against the Turks.

This shows how much the influence of family ties among the reigning houses of Europe has been overrated by those who profess to see therein an assurance of international amity and alliance. If the guns of the allied fleet have fired upon the Greek flag, it was at the instance of the great financiers of Paris, London, Berlin and Vienau. These gentry have nothing to gain, but on the contrary a vast amount to lose by a full-fledged war just at present between Turkey and Greece. Almost the whole of the enormous national debt of the Ottoman Empire, which, by dint of conversation and reorganization, has been somewhat reduced from its original figure of $1,000,000,000 is held in France and in England, mainly by the Rothschilds, their associates and their clients. They purchased the bonds for a mere song at the time when Turkey first defaulted, and since then they have been gradually increasing in value, thanks to the marked improvement in the finances of the Sublime Porte effected by the international commission of the foreign debt, organized at Constantinople to look after the interests of the bondholders. Any war in which Turkey were to become involved at the present moment would destroy all the good already achieved in this direction, throw back the Porte into the monetary morass from which she is just emerging, and offer to the Sultan the opportunity of repudiating the liabilities of his Empire, a course to which she is incited by his Church, which teachers in the most definite manner that it is unnecessary for a follower of the Phophet to fulfill any obligations contracted toward Christians or Jews.

There are relatively few Turkish bonds held in Austria and in Russia. But the Rothschilds and the syndicate of bankers of which they are the leading spirits in Paris and London, control the finances of these two nations to a degree of which the American public have no idea, and the Muscovite government, as well as the governments at Vienna and Pesth, is compelled, whether it likes it or not, to defer to the wishes of those who hold it in bondage on the banks of the Seine and within the sound of Bow Bells.

Nearly the whole of the national debt of Greece is held at Berlin chiefly by a syndicate controlled by the great German banking house of Bleichroder. The debt amounts to about $180,000,000, a large sum for a country which yields a State revenue of only some $15,000,000.

In one word Messrs. Beichroder and their fellow financiers at Berlin are of the opinion that the Greek government has no right whatsoever to spend a cent in endeavoring to protect its countrymen in Crete from the Turkish oppression and outrage, as long as the interest of the debt remains unpaid in full.

Curiously enough, the Bleichroders and their associates at Berlin have found in Emperor William an enthusiastic supporter of their policy toward the Greek government in the present crisis.

Another illustration of the all predominating influence of the "Haute Banque" is afforded by the case of Egypt. The British government manifested but scanty interest in the Land of the Nile or in its finances until the Rothschilds were induced to float a Khedival loan, and to devote their attention to Egyptian bonds. The latter were at the time very low, something like 30 to 40 below par, being regarded as a risky investment, in spite of the high rate of interest, which amounted all the way from 7 to 10 per cent. By degrees the Rothschilds increased their holdings, and the British government, which had been so indifferent to the country that it had actually declined to take any share in the construction of the Suez canal, began suddenly to develop a marked interest in the affairs of the Delta. Little by little it extended its grasp upon Egypt and when the natives rebelled against the idea of foreign domination, in the avowed interests of the foreign bondholders, and and announced their intention of repudiating the national debt, the English fleet at once bombarded Alexandria, and sending out an army of 20,000 men took possession of the entire country, which it has held ever since.

From the moment that the military occupation of Egypt by England began, the bonds went up from 40 below to above par, since the British government, by assuming control of the administration of the country, practically became responsible for the payment of the interest of the debt. It was a splendid coup for the Rothschild clique in Paris and London, but there is no doubt that the possession of Egypt by England has contributed more than anything else to embitter the French against Great Britain and consequently to impair the strength and the influence of the latter in what is known as the concert of Europe.

All this, however, tends to show what has been pointed out above, namely, that the destinies of Europe nowadays are controlled, not by monarchs, but by business men, and that the council which decides upon the vital questions of peace or war is composed, not of statesmen and politicians, but of financiers, who sacrifice without compunction the welfare and aspiration of nations to the selfish pecuniary interests of la Haute Banque which holds the people of Europe in bondage like some Nineteenth century Pharaoh.

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BOTH MUST HANG.

Gov. Bradley Refuses to Interfere in the Walling Case.

Frankfort, Ky., March 15.—Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling will be hanged at Alexandria on Saturday, March 20, for the murder of Pearl Bryan.

A great many people think that Jackson is more responsible for the crime than Walling, and a strong effort has been made to get the Governor to commute the sentence of the court, so far as Walling is concerned, to life imprisonment. After a thorough investigation the Governor wrote the following on Walling's petition:

"The jury were the judges of the credibility of the witnesses and their verdict should not be disturbed unless flagrantly against the evidence. The circuit court and appellate court have reviewed the case and declined to interfere. I see no reason why I should commute the sentence, and therefore decline to do so.

William O. Bradley."

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A Bank President.

Paducah, Ky., March 16.—Former President Milton G. Cope, of the First National Bank of Paducah, is a forger to the extent of $13,000, according to the bank officials here. This was discovered a day or two ago but the secret was carefully guarded, and the facts are now given to the public for the first time.

Mr. Cope, it is charged, by forging the names of gentlemen of Mayfield, secured $13,000. The name of R. A. Mays, Cashier of the City National Bank of Mayfield, and W. J. Stayden, of Covington & Co., were forged to a note for $6,060. There were also two notes of $3,500 each, on G. R. Allen and R. E. Allen, prominent tobacco men.

Chicora, Pa., Herald: Richard Venzel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs, and colds after all other so called cures had failed entirely, Mr. Vensel said it assisted his children through a very bad siege of measles. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectoration very easy and rapid. At R. F. Haynes.

The Federal Grand Jury has indicted banker McKnight and five of the aldermen of Louisville for their complicity in the affairs of the German National Bank.

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CONGRESS CONVENES.

The President Message Confined to The Tariff Question Alone.

Washington, March 15.—The House of Representatives was fully organized today, by the election of speaker, clerk, doorkeeper, sergeant at arms and other officers. It consists of 357 members, of whom 209 served in the last Congress, while 132 have never served in congress before. Politically classified there are 206 Republicans, 122 Democrats and 29 fusion silverites and Populists. There were 341 of them present today. The vote on the election of speaker was.

For Reed, rep., 199: for Bailey, dem,, 114; for Bell, pop., 21; and for Mr. Newlands 1.

The President's message is devoted exclusively to the tariff.

The total receipts for the last three fiscal years he said had been insufficient to meet the past three fiscal he said had been insufficient to meet the expenditures by $137,811,000, and the interess on the public debt had increased by $11,593,000. This condition was for congress to correct Ample revenue should be provided for the expenses of the government, the prompt payment of pensions and the liquidation of the public debt. The necessity of the hour was the enactment of a tariff bill that would provide ample revenues and render to labor in every field of useful labor liberal wages.

"Before the transaction of other business," the message concluded, "let us provide sufficient revenue."

It is rumored that the patronage will not be handed out very liberally until the tariff bill is passed.

The selection of Bailey by the Democrats as their choice for speaker means that the brilliant young Texan is to be the leader on that side.

The Arbitration Treaty.

The newspapers tell of a big meeting held at Cooper Union, New York last week, to pass resolutions endorsing the proposed arbitration treaty with England. It is said that Cooper Union scarcely ever contained a larger or a more thoroughly cosmopolitan audience than crowded its space at this meeting. Mayor Strong made a brief address advocating the treaty and formal resolutions, calling upon the Senate to ratify the document were introduced. Before taking the vote, which was, according to arrangement, to be solid for the resolutions, permission was granted to Mr. Lynn to address the meeting. He said:

"Before adopting the resolutions we should stop and pause; who wants this arbitration?"

He then went on to say that England had broken the treaty of 1812, and raised troops and built war vessels for the Confederacy during the civil war and so again broke our treaty.

"The spirit of New York is against such resolutions," (Great cheering). "I care not for the depreciation of securities. I care more for the depreciation of American patriotism. We can have no peace with the robber nation, England. Tonight the Greeks are defending their humble brothers in Crete while England with arms and guns is forcing that unfortunate people by coercion under the Turk. (Applause). A treaty with a government which has permitted the Armenians to be slaughtered by thousands! (Applause). A treaty with a nation that has broken every obligation and violated every pledge of honor she ever made. (Applause). We are a peaceful nation, and we maintain that peaceful attitude with honor that we have always maintained. We ask no war, but in the words of the great Washington, and which this call does not incorporate tonight, 'We seek no entangling alliances with foreign nations.' (Applause), A treaty that upon its face reads five years and means forever.' (Applause).

By the time Mr. Lynn had finished he had ocular evidence that the people were with him, and there was such a unanimous endorsement of his position that the leaders of the meeting would not permit a vote on resolutions condeming the treaty. Mid a storm of "noes" that drowned everything the resolutions endorsing the treaty were declared passed. A fair count would have shown that this body of representative New Yorkers were bitterly opposed to the treaty; and this is the honest sentiment of nine-tenths of the thinking American people.

TWO MEN KILLED

A Bloody Affair at Hopkinsville. Policeman and His Slayer Dead

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 13.—Henry Lane one of the most efficient policemen of this city, was killed tonight at 9 o'clock by George Merritt, who shot him to death in front of Lacey's saloon on Seventh street. Merritt was also killed, it is supposed by one of two officers, their names being Moorman and Cravens.

George Merritt had been drinking and was standing in the front door of Lacy's saloon and was acting in a disorderly manner, when officer Lane stepped up and told him he had better go home and behave himself. Merritt used an ugly oath and at the same time pulled a pistol and shot Lane. The ball entered his left eye penetrated his brain and killed him instantly. With the smoking pistol in his hand Merritt started to leave the spot, when two more shots rang out on the air and the excited crowd saw Merritt fall on his face on the pavement, with a bullet through his heart.

Simultaneously with the firing of these shots, police officers Moorman and Cravens appeared on the scene, and it is generally thought that the shot that killed Merritt came from either one of their pistols, although this has not been determined, as the coroner's jury is now holding an inquest on both bodies.

The sentiment of this community is with the murdered officer who was killed in cold blood by Merritt, who it is said received his just deserts in being killed.

BITTEN BY A MULE

A Caldwell County Man in Danger of Hydrophobia.

W. H. McCargo, of Scottsburg, was badly bitten by a rabid mule Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The mule became very unruly and Mr. McCargo was trying to conquer him when he was bitten. The animal caught him by the index finger and bit it off, after first kicking him in the right hip and trying to bim in the leg

Mr. McCargo was brought to Princeton and the mangled finger was amputated by R. S. Coleman.

Mr. McCargo is getting along all right, and unless hydrophobia sets in he will be out among the people in the near future.

He is well known in Princeton and the people sympathise with him in his suffering. It seems that the mule had been bitten by a mad dog, which of course the sufferer did not know, else he would not have attempted to work the animal.—Princeton Republican.

A weed in the garden can be easily destroyed when it first starts. Consumption can be nipped in the bud by One Minute Cough Cure. At Haynes

COMMISSARY

Is Carried by the Candidates in Graves County.

The candidates in Graves county have introduced a new wrinkle in the canvass, which is now in full blast. They carry their own hotel on wheels and eat when they get hungry. The new dodge is nothing more nor less than a traveling commissary department, which consists of a covered wagon, cooking utensils, with first and second quartermasters John Knight and Boyd Nance, of near Pottsville, in charge. Though the former is a Populist and the latter an enthusiast over Edward Bellamy's "Looking Backward," they say they do a fair business with the Democratic candidates.

Dig down to the cause of your sickness, if you want to get well and stay well. Most likely it's indigestion, the irritating poisons of fermenting, putrid food, left in the stomach by indigestion, cause headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizziness, stomach ache, nausea, irritability, and all the other well known symptoms of indigestion.

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A LIFE SENTENCE

Wiley Leeper Goes to the Penitentiary for Life.

Wiley Leeper, the negro who was the leader and chief actor in the killing of Tom White, some months ago in Caldwell county, was given a life sentence last week at Princeton. Leeper, with a number of other persons, went to White's cabin and called him out, ostensibly to give him a whipping. White suspicioned that something was wrong and returned to his house and fastened the door, and was followed by Leeper and some one in the crowd shot and killed White. Of the trial the Princeton Banner says:

From the first a considerable interest was manifested and large crowds filled the court room. The plea was "not guilty" and the defence relied on the grounds that while Wiley was one of the leaders in the mob which murdered Tom White, still he went to the latter's house only to chastis him for whipping his wife, and that he, Wiley Leeper, did not go into the house or have anything to do with the killing of Tom White. The Commonwealth, however, made out a strong case against the accused, and there is general satisfaction at the verdict of the jury in sending Leeper up for life.

THAT OPEN LETTER.

A Friend of Rev. Fox Comes to His Defense in the Matter.

Ed. Press: Will you please allow me a little space in your valuable paper, as I wish to speak a few words in favor of my friend Henry Fox in reply to the Open Letter I see in the issue of March 11 from Mr. O. T. Justice. I expect I know Mr. Fox as well as Mr. Justice. I notice Mr Justice pitched "honorable christian gentleman" in Mr. Fox's face several times. Now I expect Mr. Fox is as much an honorable christian gentleman as the writer of the letter.

In regard to Cookseyville church I was born and raised in that community and happen to know more about those matters than Justice. Mr. Fox has been a builder of and a mother of that church for several years, and in time of his first pastorate he had no horse and footed it from Piney creek church, where he lived, to fill his appointment at Cookseyville. I know that Mr. Fox was unceremoniously discharged from Cookseyville church, and it was through malice and envy by some few of the members, while he was liked by the majority of the members. One thing I know, Mr. Fox is more of an honorable christian gentleman than those members that are persecuting him.

Mr. Justice take your Bible and turn to Matthew 12 chap. and read from 35 to 40 v. Now, Mr. Justice, I am no church member nor never was, but if I was I would never write such a letter about one of my Baptist brothers as you have done.

In conclusion I am a Fox man and I expect to speak well of him as I think him an honorable christian gentleman.

J. A. Wheeler,
Fredonia, Ky.

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Noah Franklin has been indicted for the murder of Daisy Sullivan in Marshall county. The case is in some respects like the killing of Pearl Bryan. Franklin was paying court to Miss Sullivan. One night as she was passing through a hallway from one room to another, at her home, some one hid behind a rose bush in the yard, shot and killed her. Suspicion pointed to Franklin and it was supposed that she had been killed to hide her shame. After examining about one hundred witnesses, the grand jury charges Franklin with the terrible deed. The accused had always borne a good reputation.

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Obituary.

Hersel Elkins, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Elkins, died at his home January 28, 1897, after a few weeks' illness, aged 18 months.

Again the angel of death comes and lays its cold hand upon a mother's sweet flower, which withers, fades and dies; yet it shall bloom again in the land of eternal bliss, where flowers immortal never fade.

Mysterious indeed that an all wise God sees fit to call one so lovely as little Hersel, to try the realities of an unknown world; but such is the kingdom of God. Parents weep not for him for your loss is his eternal gain.

A loved one from us is gone,
A voice we love is still;
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon His love had given,
And though the body moulders here
The soul is safe in heaven.

M. I. and M. C.

Obituary.

Mr. W. C. L. Moore, of Repton, Ky., died of heart disease and dropsy at his residence on Monday morning, March 8, 1897, between daybreak and sunrise, and the remains were interred at Mount Zion on Wednesday, March 10th.

He had been a great sufferer for many months before he was confined to his bed, but being a man of undaunted courage and energy, he succeeded in overcoming his affliction until the 15th day of November, 1896, at which time he succumbed to its infirmities and became and confirmed invalid, suffering at intervals the most excrutiating and intense agony, until death relieved him of his misery.

Mr. Moore bore his afflictions with the greatest degree of patience and fortitude. How he did this will be a question of conjecture, and hard for the unconverted to understand, but it will be an easy problem for those who have accepted Christ as their Saviour when I explain to them that the deceased was a child of the "King" and sustained during his illness by a 'Friend that sticketh closer than a brother." It is a fact that is generally known, and more especially by his intimate friends, and near neighbors, that our dear brother made no pretentions or public demonstration prior to the 20th day of August, 1896, that would indicate a profession of faith in Christ; but is a fact, the mention of which gives the writer the most profound gratification, that on the date above mentioned at a protracted meeting conducted by Revs. L. F. Price and H. S. Bennetts in a tent near our departed brother's residence, that during that meeting our deceased brother was converted and saved, evidence of which was given in his daily walk thereafter.

We are told in Holy Writ that "by their fruits ye shall know them," and that "We may know that we have passed from death unto life, because we love the brethren," and Mr Moore gave evidence of the greatest degree of brotherly love.

Among his many good traits of character he had one which was especially commendable, that of charity. A beggar was never known to leave our subject's door without being fed, unless he was known to be an impostor. Mr. Moore was an affectionate husband, a kind father, a good neighbor, and a good citizen; and in this connection it will be nothing more than the courtesy due them to state that the wife and children of the deceased, and also the neighbors, were unusually attentive to him during his entire illness, and every means that could be devised by the tender solicitude of doting children for the restoration of his health were resorted to, without avail, and when death struck the dear old father, just before he passed into oblivion he arose in his bed and told brother Thomas Henry that he had seen the most beautiful vision, and the most dazzingly beautiful lights he had ever beheld. He said language was inadequate to describe what he saw, and that he was both ready and anxious to meet his Creator.

Mr. Moore was born on the 22d day of October, 1822, and was in the seventy fifth year of his age when he died. His birth place is in Crittenden county, about one fourth of a mile from Repton, Ky., being only about one mile from where he died.

E. Hibbs.

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ONE YEAR - - ONE DOLLAR

Spain has ordered 25,000 soldiers in Cuba to return home.

State Senator John P. Salyer died at his home in Morgan county Sunday. He was a gold Democrat.

Beginning March 24 Moody, the great evangelist, will hold a series of meetings in Louisville.

Senator Pettigrew announces that the silver Republican senators will not impede the passage of the tariff bill

No vote will be taken for Senator at Frankfort until next Tuesday, and by that time the music will have commenced.

The statesman who lost his job some time ago, ex Senator John J. Ingalls, is now reporting the prize fights for a New York paper.

Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, last week pardoned twenty five convicts in a bunch They were mostly old, decrepit men and boys.

The upper house of the Arizons Legislature has passed a bill providing for sessions of the legislature only once in every ten years.

Postmaster General Gary has announced that the administration has decided to adhere to the four years of office policy for all postmasters.

Col. John Hay, of the District of Columbia, has been appointed ambassador to England, and Horace Porter, of New York, to France.

The weather bureau issued a special river bulletin. It is expected that the flood will prove very destructive in Arkansas and Louisiana.

Maj A. T. Wood, Gov. Bradley's appointee as United States Senator, has returned from Washington. The Senate will not pass on his credentials at present.

Berlin newspapers announce that it may be necessary on account of the proposed tariff law in this country to lock out American products from Germany.

A small riot, in which about a dozen persons were wounded and a little boy was killed by a stray shot, occurred recently at Birmingham, Alabama, resulting from an attempt to arrest a negro burglar,

Immediately following the Courier-Journal's "prosperity edition," that paper announced the failure of the Kentucky Guaranty Company of that city. Prosperity, like money and confidence, is plentiful, but is confined to the possession of a mighty few people.

The correspondent of the London Times says that Secretary Sherman has no definite foreign policy, and that his senatorial jingoism has "fallen off him like a worn out garment. He says the Secretary declared to him that there would be no change of policy as to Cuba, and that "if Spain gave me a quit claim deed to Cuba I would not have it."

Silverites, Attention.

Another Meeting is Called for Deliberation and Consultation

We the undersigned Populists and silver Republicans of this county, are for a union of the other silver forces of the county on a county and representative ticket, with the Democrats, on a basis that is reasonable and just to all, and therefore, if the Democrats are still willing to tender us a fair division of the said county ticket, we would be willing in regard to arrangement of ticket and device, that we nominate our men and put them under our device, and let the Democrats do the same with regard to their's putting them under their device, and each party agree to instruct its voters how to vote for both tickets; or that the candidates nominated by us be allowed to say where their names shall be printed on the ballot.

We believing that principles come first and devices last in effecting a fusion.

Now we ask all fellow Populists, silver republicans, and Prohibitionists of the county who wish to unite with the silver forces under one banner and gain a grand victory this fall, to come out to Marion next Monday, March 22d, and let us meet promptly at 11 o'clock and settle among ourselves this question, which has caused so much vexation, in a manner which will be satisfactory to all, as we can not afford to divide our forces in the face of the enemy and be defeated. "In union there is strength," so don't fail to come out and bring your silver neighbor with you, and let's have a harmonious meeting.

W. F. Russell,
John Polk,
W. W. Pogue,
D. W. Ralstone,
James Davis.

Mr. W. J. L. Hughes has a card in this paper announcing his candidacy for Circuit Court Clerk. He served one term, preceding H. A. Haynes, in the office, and his work as clerk clearly demonstrated his fitness for the place. He made a splenoid officer. He is a good citizen and a deserving man.

Mr John T. Franks announces his candidacy for county clerk, The county never had a better sheriff or one who has grown more popular in the discharge of official duty. He is well qualified in every way for the office to which he aspires, and judging the future by the past, the conclusion may readily be drawn that if he were elected he would make an efficient; faithful officer

We announce Mr. David Carter a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the Democratic party, Mr. Carter is one of the substantial citizens of Union precinct, He is a good man in all respects, and is worthy the confidence of the people, He desires the party to consider his claims, and if thought worthy, he will greatly appreciate the support of the people.

Henry Watterson is so irate that he is calling the country newspapers hard names. The rural roosters have been gaffing the old cock, since he lost his job as cock of the walk, so deftly and keenly that he can no longer balance himself on one foot and assume that he is impervious to the attack of anybody save a Hercules or an Ajax.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Law-Maker Assembles at the Capital and Begin Business.

The Legislature convened in extra session at noon Saturday, The routine matters incident to the organization was about all that was done the first day, except the reading of the Governor's message.

W. H, Lawson, of Louisville, was elected assistant cloak room keeper of the House; the new members were sworn in,

Gov. Bradley's message goes fully into the subjects proposed for legislation, in his proclamation calling the special session. He lays special emphasis on the necessity of legislation to prevent mob violence. He recommends that any officer of the law who suffers a prisoner to be taken from his custody by a mob should forfeit his office, and that the officer in charge of a prisoner be authorized to arm the prisoner for resistance to a mob. He renews his former recommendation that counties be made liable for damages in cases of mob violence. For relief of the State's financial embarressments he recommends an increase in the tax rates, and in the license fees of whiskey dealers, distillers, tobacco dealers, billiard tables, etc. He proposes a number of changes by way of reducing the cost of criminal prosecutions and suggests a general reduction of salaries and the cutting off of some useless offices. He recommends the abandonment of the Eddyville prison and the creation of the office of bank inspector.

An effort is being made to patch up peace between Bradlay and Hunter. Attorney General Taylor, of Ohio, was in Frankfort Tuesday and held a conference with the governor, and it is stated that his mission was to arrange a truce so that Hunter might get all the Republican votes next Tuesday when the ballot for United States Senator is taken.

The House has passed a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to visit and investigate the Eddyville prison. A bill has been introduced to abolish the branch penitentiary and convert it into a house of reform.

The Republican caucus, Saturday night, nominated Dr. Hunter for United Stater Senator. The vote was Hunter, 38; Holt, 15; Lewis, 5; Boyle, 5; Yerkes, 2.

Dr. Deboe and Representative Blackburn both voted for Hunter.

Frankfort, Ky., March 10.—At a meeting of the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners this morning Gov. Bradley moved that in view of the investigation by the State Inspector and the supplemental investigation of Commissioners Stone, Taylor, and Finley, that Warden Happy, of the branch penitentiary, be requested to resign. Treasurer Long offered an amendment that both Happy and Clerk Canfield be requested to resign. Gen. Taylor offered a substitute that Warden Happy be reinstated and Clerk Canfield be requested to resign. Gen. Taylor's substitute was adopted. Commissioners Stone, Taylor and Finley voted for it and Bradley and Long against it.

Dr. Gardner was this morning appointed to succeed Supt. Letcher at the Hopkinsville Lunatic Asylum, and G. M. Stone, of Grayson, was appointed to succeed Mine Inspector Norwood.

HIGH WATER.

The Mississippi River Discounts the Records.

Memphis, Tenn., March 14.—The Mississippi river continues to rise and the situation in the lowlands of Arkansas opposite this city is very serious. Tonight the river stands at 46.3 feet, a rise of seven tenths since last night, This is the highest record since the establishment of the Weather Office here in 1872, and since the sinking of the lowlands of Missouri, Arkansas and Tennessee, by the earthquakes many years ago. The Government gauge today recorded 36.3 feet above the low water mark, but owing to a change in tha gauge system since the previous high waters this would read on the old gauge 37.2 eet. The high water mark on the old gauge was 36.6 feet made in the flood of 1890.

The Mississippi river broke through the levee at Marion, Ark., spreading over a large section of country.

Vessels are engaged in rescuing people and stock from the overflowed sections of Arkansas.

Memphis, Mar. 16—The river continues to rise slowly. The change in the situation in the past twenty-four hours has been for the worse. Localities that were expected up to the last moment to withstand the overflow are now under water. People who thought they were safe from the angry waters find themselves hemmed in. From every direction come reports of disaster. Over at Marion and adjacent country 400 people are lined up on the railroad track, over which occasional waves sweep that threaten to carry off the desperate people and live stock that find a precarious foothold. Along the other railroads leading out of this city into Arkansas a similar condition exists. At President's Island from fifty to a hundred people were this morning standing in water and praying for a boat. Nearly 1000 people have been brought to this city, Many rumors of wholesale drowning are current The Arkansas and Red rivers are booming. Great alarm is felt throughout the Miss. valley. Uutold thousands of dollars worth of property has been swept away, and hunderds of human lives are in danger.

TOLU.

Edgar Bozeman returned home from Clarksville, Tenn. Friday; he has been looking after corn

Mrs Laura McFarlan and daughter, and Miss Rena Hodge of E'town Ills. spent a few days in our midst last week.

Mr. E. E. Thurman is still very sick, so the school is put off to some future time.

R. A, Moore has a position in the house of T. S, Croft & Co.

The question has been asked, why did Charley Bozeman resign his office so soon. It is because he is too staunch a Democrat to hold a fourth class post office under a Republican President.

There is some talk of getting a private school here this fall. There is nothing to prevent Tolu having a high school.

Miss Nellie Hale of Fords Ferry is visiting C. J. Bozeman's family.

Miss Minnie Bennett, of Salem is visiting friends here,

There will be a free silver club organized at Caney Fork school house the 4th Saturday night. E B Moore will make the opening speech.

"Get H. Young to order your books for you."

Miss Gertie Nunn, a daughter of Ira Nunn, came down last week to attend school.

One house, a lot of farming implements and about 450 bushels corn, was taken from the island last Sunday night,

Something near 9,000 bushels of corn is being raised from the water on the Black farm

S B Weldon bought the house and lot on corner Main and Broadway streets, formerly owned ny Anthony Murphy.

CARRSVILLE

Albert Likens has gone to New Orleans with his potatoes; he shipped on steamer Buckeye State one thousand bags.

Hon. T. J. Nunn will address the silver clubs of this place this evening.

J. B. Champion, candidate for Representative is in town.

Charley Hughes, the Paducah groceryman, was in town.

Since McKinley had been inaugurated even the Democrats can't hold a private meeting here without some of the colored population being present.

Why not have R. C. Walker for our next Representative?

Our school closed its winter term last week; the spring term will begin March 29.

We have had a splendid school. Profs. Boyd and Stevens have done good work and given good satisfaction all around. Mr. Stevens had some nice work in his room, and on Thursday, the last day, he had quite a number of visitors and they were well entertained.

Prof. Boyd has had some as fine work done in his room as any teacher could expect, and there never was a teacher better liked by his pupils; on the closing day he had some very interesting exercises, and on the following evening the closing exercises were he'd at the C. P. church with the following

PROGRAMME:

Some strange customs in Japan and China, Pearl Daniels; A tribute to Henry Clay, Della Southard; The first great battle, Foster Babb; America's sweet singer, W. M. Daniels; The greatest of hotels, Howard McConnell; Railsplitting Abe, Lillie Bellamy; The Bombay plague, Nellie Rhodes; Our new President, Allen Bridges; The white ribbon brigade, Esther Ellis; A girl's influence, Ella Stroud; Pennyrile vs Bluegrass, Bessie Earles; Our flag, Bruce Babb; the old and new south, Nona Bryan; The mother's congress, Eva Dorman; The Bradley-Martin ball, Grace Gwartney John Brown a knave, W, H, Rhodes; John Brown a patriot, Madie Marrs; The age of woman, Aggie Ellis; The shame of Nevada, Nannie Campbell; The republic will stand; pro, Mamie Yates; con, Lloyd Ward (valedictory); Benediction, Rev. H. W. Stevens.

KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

The Condition of Crops and Live Stock March 1, 1897.

The March report is made up from the replies received from 67 correspondents representing one hundred counties.

The counties failing to report are Allen, Barbour, Casey, Floyd, Garrard. Greenup, Hickman, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Lee. Leslie, Livingston, Magoffin, Martin, McCracken, McLean, Menafee and Perry.

WHEAT.

Notwithstanding several trying ordeals the wheat crop passes the winter with conditions averaging 88. On December 1 last the condition was 101, and March 1, 1895, the condition was 64.

Out of 144 replies received to question, "Has wheat suffered from any cause during the winter?" 118 answered affirmatively and 24 answered no. The cause generally assigned is sudden and hard freezing while without snow protection. The effect has naturally been more marked on the late portion of the crop and in many cases the condition of part of the crop is reported precarious in the extreme. Early wheat is looking well though in a number of cases it is infested with Hessian fly and considerable apprehension of danger from this cause has been felt.

LIVE STOCK.

Abundant cheap food and mainly open weather during the winter combine to make an excellent condition, of live stock at this time.

No contagious or infectious diseas is reported prevalent. with the exception of the ever prevailing hog cholera and as to this, 91 correspondents report hogs free from cholera and thirty as against 62 who report cholera present.

The manner in which many correspondents speak of cholera as being present leads to the conclusion that the loss of hogs is due to a number of other ailments likely to appear among hogs when in a low state of vitality and not to genuine cases of cholera.

The supply of horses continues in excess of the demand while cattle and sheep are scarce and higher. Hogs, while plentiful in most sections, are in good demand,

RAINS AND FLOODS.

Recent heavy rains have wrought great damage, both to crops in low lands and in washing the soil. The damage to hemp in shock and stack has been very heavy, and farm work has been practically at a standstill for several weeks.

FRUIT PROSPECTS,

What information is furnished on this score is largely to the effect that peaches are badly injured or killed, Mr. H. F. Hillenmeyer, of the Blue grass Nurseries, is not inclined to this opinion. He considers the prospect for all kinds of fruit above the average for this period.

A REQUEST.

This Bureau greatly desires to have a correct and intelligent report from each county in the State during the season, covering the planting and maturing of the various crops, and will appreciate voluntary offers of services in those counties given as not reporting in the beginning of this report. Though the labor will be without pecuniary reward, the consciousness of a duty well performed should impel the agriculturists of the State to see that their county does not lag in this matter

CATARRH!

is a

LOCAL DISEASE

and is the result of colds and sudden climate changes.

FOR YOUR PROTECTION

we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

ELY'S CREAM BALM

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflamation, heals the sores, protects the membrine from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell. A particle is applied directly into the nostrils, is agreeable. 50 cts at Druggists or by mail: samples 10c. by mail.

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Will insure your Dwellings, Barns, Live Stock, etc., for five years, on the installment plan, allowing you to pay one year at a time, without interest.

J. S. Henry, Ag't.

James & James, LAWYERS,

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Practice in the courts of Crittenden and surrounding counties, and in the Court of Appeals.

All the different kind of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema, and indolent ulcers, can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the great pile cure. At Haynes'.

Good Blood

Is essential to health. Every nook and corner of the system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ depends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure blood means scrofula, dyspepsia, rheumatism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Announcements,

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce
WM. MARBLE,
of Caldwell county, a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Judge, of the district composed of the counties of Caldwell, Crittenden, Hopkins and Livingston, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
T. J. NUNN,
a candidate for circuit court judge in the district composed of Caldwell, Crittenden, Hopkins, and Livingston counties, subject to the action of the convention to be held at Princeton April 8, 1897.

COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN L. GRAYOT
a candidate for re-election to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney, in the district composed of Caldwell Crittenden, Hopkins and Livingston counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce
T. J. YEATS
a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce
J. BELL KEVIL
a candidate for County Attorney, of Crittenden county, subject to the primary election April 3.

FOL SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce
JNO. T. PICKENS
a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican party. Your vote and influence will be appreciated

FOK JAILER

We are authorized to announce
JOHN E. THOMAS,
a candidate for jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
J. W. MABRY
a candidate for jailer of Crittenden County, subject to the action of the Free Silver advocates.

We are authorized to announce
A. S, HARD
a candidate for re-election to the office of Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
DAVID CARTER
a candidate for Jailer. subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce
W. H. BIGHAM,
a candidate for assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
M. C. O'HARA,
a candidate for assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
W. F. OLIVER,
a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
J. A. WHEELER,
a candidate for Assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican party. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

LIVINGSTON OUNTY.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

We are authorized to announce
GEO. W. LANDRAM
a candidate for the office of County Clerk, of Livingston county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce
ISAAC LINLEY
a candidate for County Attorney, of Livingston county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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Why trade with others when you can save money by trading with us.

OUR STORE Is full of Bargains

No old stock or shelf-worn Goods. No baits, everything within its self IS A BARGAIN.

All Our Winter Goods, Clothing, Etc.,

WE ARE CLOSING OUT AT REDUCED PRICES.

WE HAVE RECEIVED

Dimity, India Linen, Embroideries, Laces

And so forth, and can show a far Superior Line and at prices much lower than our Competition.

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Examine our Stock and Prices before buying your goods, we will save you money.

YOURS FOR CASH BARGAINS,

PICKENS, CASSIDY & Co.

We have Received Our Spring Shoes and Slippers

And can show you all the Latest Styles....

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Circuit court Monday.

Jessie Olive has a new boy at his house.

Box papers, a fine line at cost, at the postoffice.

Mr. W. O Hayden, of Salem, was in town Monday.

Dr. S. A. Fraser of Blackford was in town Tuesday.

W. B. Wilborn, of Fords Ferry, was in town Monday.

The Methodist District Conference meets in Marion in May.

Closing out at cost—call in.
A. M. Hearin.

Rev. W. H. Miley preaches at Tolu every second Sunday.

Mr. Dick Dorr, jr., and family, went to Paducah Tuesday.

The hotel keepers and liverymen are complaining of dull times.

A wreck on the O. V. Friday near Anora. Four freight cars were ditched.

Mr. Dancy Hammond and wife returned to their home at Pine Bluff last week.

Testaments, Bibles and Albums cheaper than you ever saw them, at the post office.

Bingham had a good audience before, but Marion is expected to double it this time.

Popular prices for the lecture 25c. and 35c. for a choice seat. Help your school library.

Mr. A. J. Bennett, of Tolu, was in town Tuesday. He went to Kelsey on a business trip.

Ralph Bingham, the most popular lecturer ever in Marion, at school hall, Monday night, March 22.

Mr. J. T. Franks and wife went to Louisville Saturday. They will be in the city several days.

Manager of Mr. Bingham writes that Ralph Bingham is giving the best role this year of his public career.

The recent rains have temporarily suspended mining operations at Mr. W. D. Wallingford's eldorado near town,

Ask any one who attended the entertainment last year if they will miss this, and the answer is, "not much."

On the 12th Messrs. G. D. Kemp and J. W. Riggs qualified as administrators of the estate of T. B. Riggs, deceased.

Miss Geniveve Clarkson, of Big Spring, was the guest of Miss Bena Bigham last week, returning home Saturday.

Mr. Dixie Clement died at his home at Pinkneyville a few days ago; he was a son of the late Wm. Clement, of this county.

While playing, Saturday, Earl, little son of Mr. G. L Rankin, fell and broke his arm The bone was broken just above the elbow.

Mr. F. E. Robertson is arranging to move to Princeton within the next few days, Dr, R. L. Moore will occupy his residence at this place.

Mr. A. Dewey, of Lewisport, was in Marion Saturday. According to current report he is thinking something of buying the Bigham flouring mill at this place.

Everybody is anxiously waiting to see what Judge Pratt will do with the local option law. If it is declaed void, there will be application for saloon license for business at Marion and at Dycusburg.

Mr. W. D. Cannon has the measles

Mr. George Boaz, of Dycusburg, was in town Tuesday.

Come in and see what you can buy for a little maney at Hearins.

Everything bound to go at some price in next 90 days. Hearin.

Mrs Melviny Clement, of the View neighborhood, is reported dangerously ill.

Monday Messrs Wm. Elder and W. F. Burton were appointed road overseers.

J. F. Conger has been appointed administrator of the estate of M. N. Crayne, deceased.

A good many of Mr. J. W. Blue's friends are soliciting him to run for county attorney.

F. M, Jones has sold the Shady Grove mail route to Tom Davidson. Mr. Davidson takes charge Monday.

A. Wilborn qualified as deputy sheriff Monday. He was appointed to assist during the busy ante court period.

The Crittenden County Medical Association held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday. Several of the doctors were in town.

Dr. J, H. Clark left yesterday morning for New York to take a past-graduate course in a surgical college. He will be absent six or eight weeks.

Everybody that can laugh, admire strong and splendid impersonation, and thrill with delight in hearing divine music, should not miss the entertainment at school hall Monday night next.

You promised to settle your bil Saturday. Please remember that Saturday comes as often as once in each week. Do not forget your promise, nor fail to keep it. We must have what you owe us.
Griffith & Patmor.

One dose of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey given to a child on retiring, stops a cough, relieves croup or cures a cold and insures quiet rest and refreshing sleep, It is harmless; babies love it; all mothers who have used it recommend it.

Constipation in its worst forms, dyspepsia, sick headache, biliousness and derangement of the liver are readily cured by DeWitt's Little Early Risers These little pills never gripe. Small pill, safe pill, best pill. At Haynes.

The Fords Ferry people are endeavoring to make arrangements to get their mail from Marion instead of depending upon the unsatisfactory boat service during the winter and spring months.

If you are unable to rest at night one dose of Dr Bell's Pine Tar Honey will give you natural and refreshing sleep. It stops a cough and cures a cold quicker than any other known remedy. It heals the throat, chest, and lungs. cures la grippe permanently; does not stupify—is harmless; the children love it, and old people like it. Take no substitute; there is nothing "just as good."

Elma, the little four year old son of Mr. Ed Raymer, formerly a resident of Marion but now living at Gracey, met with an accident last week that caused his death. He accidentally swallowed a piece of wood about three inches long, and it lodged in his throat. The home physicians endeavored to remove it, and failing, the little fellow was taken to a sanitarium at Evansville and more experienced physicians attempted the delicate operation, but all failed and the little boy died.

Committee Meeting.

All members of the Democratic county committee are earnestly requested to meet in Marion Monday, March 21, 1897. Important business and every member is requested to be present.

L. W. Cruce, Ch'n.

Mr. S. R. Cassidy and wife returned home Sunday.

Rev. Ford of Hanson was in town Monday, en route home from Salem.

Mr. Fate Shaw is rejoicing over the advent of a new daughter into his home.

Dr. J. V. Hayden of Salem left Monday for New York. He will be absent six or eight weeks.

Messrs, G. W. D. Hughes, G. C. Wathen and Burnett Williams, of Fords Ferry, were in town Monday.

Call and get some of our fine pig's feet; we are selling them at cost.
B. F. McMican & Co,

A first class New Orleans molasses cheap; a splendid Virginia sorghum 25 cents per gallon.
B. F. McMican & Co.

Don't fail to see next Sunday's Courier Journal, a full account of the Jackson-Walling hanging.
Creed Taylor, Agent.

The farmers of this county sustained a great loss, in the aggregate, from the recent heavy rains. Not only was fencing washed away, but the ground was greatly injured, by the rush of the waters the soil being washed away, and big gullies were cut through many fields.

Ralph Bingham comes to Marion again under the auspices of the Marion Graded; enterrains in School Chapel, Monday evening, March 22. All proceeds that come to school goes to library fund. He is the prince of entertainers, the leading monologist in America and a prodigy as a musician. Come to hear him and assist your school library. Monday evening, March 22.

Lung soreness is a forerunner of serious trouble. If you feel the slightest indication, Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will allay the inflammation and prevent further progress of the disease. It is the most efficient means of curing coughs, colds and bronchial affections found in the annals of medicine.

TOLU, KY., Mar. 8, 1897.

By the request of the voters of this precinct I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Crittenden county, subject to the nomination of the Republican party.

THOMAS H. TODD, (colored)

Mr. John T. Foley, of Sheridan, was in town yesterday, carrying his arm in a sling, It will be several weeks before he will be sufficiently recovered to go to work. Mr. Foley's friends, and he has lots of them, are soliciting him to become a candidate for sheriff. He has the matter under consideration. He has been a member of the Democratic county committee ever since he was twenty-one years old, and has done the party faithful service.

Clark & Kevil is the style of the firm that now owns and operates the Marion Roller Mills. Mr. D. B. Kevil who has been connected with the mill for the past two years becomes the manager. He has han extensive experience in the milling business, and thoroughly understands every department, and the patrons of the mill may confidentilly expect the very best results from this mill. Mr. Kevil is an industrious, honest, painstaking young man, and one that will prove popular with people as a mill man.

A Big Haul.

A few days ago Mr. Phin Miles spent a few moments hunting on a little knoll, surrounded by water, he found two red foxes and forty-nine rabits. He got them all.

Marriage Licenses.

John E. Lever and Miss Harriet Martin.

Cam C. Crayne and Miss Nora E Hamby.

Ben Carroll and Miss Emer O'Mary.

NEW CANDIDATES.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK

TO THE VOTERS OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party, All I ask of the committee is to give my case due consideration and finally act in accordance with their own sense of duty, and I will be satisfied with the result If I am nominated and elected I shall most heartily appreciate the favor and shall endeavor to the utmost of my ability to discharge my duty faithfully and with such thoroughness and impartiality that no one who may favor me with his vote will ever have cause to regret it.

W. J. L. HUGHES.

John T. Franks Announces.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY:

I am a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

I shall ever remember with the deepest gratitude the great kindness the people of Crittenden have heretofore shown me, and the confidence reposed in me. I have endeavored to be faithful and courteous in the discharge of all official duties. In announcing for county clerk and soliciting your support, I promise if elected to use my best endeavors to make a capable, faithful official.

To the committeemen, who are to make the nomination, I desire to say that I will be glad to have you consider my fitness for the office, my availability as a candidate, and my worthiness, and if you feel that I am the man to receive this honor from the party, no man can appreciate it higher.

Respectfully,

JOHN T. FRANKS,

TO THE PEOPLE OF CRITTENDEN AND LIVINGSTON COUNTIES:

Like most men who have some desire to participate in the honors of public office, I have been solicited by a number of friends to become a candidate for the Legislature. Yielding to these very kind solicitations, and at the same time taking a step not contrary to my own feelings, I announce myself a candidate for Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democr atic party

If you believe that I am, in a fair measure, capable, and that I am deserving and otherwise worthy of such a trust, I will appreciate your vote.

Respectfully,

R. C. WALKER.

Mr. Tyner Will Not Run.

Having been solicited by a number of friends to make the race for the Legislature, and having entertained some idea of making the race, and having so expressed myself to friends, I have, after muture deliberation determinep not to make the race. I have adopted this course because I think it best for peoce and harmony in the party, and that there might be as little friction as possible in making the nomination.

I desire to return my sincere thanks to the friends who have so generously proffered me their support. I assure them that I appreciate it just as much as if I had made the race, and I shall ever cherish their kind word.

Hoping that unity of purpose and action may prevail, I am

Sincerely Yours,

W. C. TYNER.

Protracted Meeting.

We aim to begin a meeting at the Cumberland Presbyterian church next Sunday, the Lord willing, and we cordially invite all to attend our services.
J. F. Price.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A Young Man Shoots Himself Because of His Love Affairs.

Last Friday a young man by the name of Garrett, who lives in the southwestern portion of the county, attempted to kill himself. He used a pistol, and an ugly wound in the abdomen is the result, and his death may follow, as he is in a very critical condition. According to the report that reaches us, Garrett was paying his respects to a young lady in the neighborhood. Something occurred that disrupted the kindly feeling between the two, and the young man committed the rash act that may cost him his life.

It is said that he has expressed a determination to kill himself yet. It is also reported that the young lady has been to see the wounded man, and that their troubles were amicably adjusted.

TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLARS

Is the Gross Amount the Marion Post Office Pays.

According to information furnished us by postmaster Hearin, the Marion post office pays twelve hundred dollars annually. Of course the postmaster has to pay his clerk hire, rent and other expenses out of this amount On account of this being a distributing office for a large scope of co untry the Government allows $300 for clerk hire Then postmaster's commission on cancellation of stamps and fees in the money order department, and the income from box rent all amount to $900, and this added to the $300 allowed for clerk hire amounts to the $1200.

The announcement of Postmaster General Gary that all postmasters wil be allowed to serve out their four years will leave postmaster Hearin at the old stand until July 1.

Jury List.

The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been summoned to do jury service at the approaching term of circuit court:

GRAND JURY.

J, A. Davidson, Leander White, E. L. Nunn, W. H. Tisdale, George Conyers, A. B. Crisp, Thos Black, J. N. Clark, P. E. Shewmaker, J. R. Summerville, G. B. Crawford, Henry Yandell, Ed. Dalton, J. Kelly Beard, Wm, Millikan, T. M. Wofford, S. S. Woodson, John Crouch, Thos. Roberts.

PETIT JURY.

J. N. Cully, R. E. Bigham, J. W. Durham, F. M. Daniel, R. N. Grady J. R. Brantley, Thomas McKinney, Geo. Gahagan, W. H. Travis, Enoch Williams, M. Brantley, John Belt, W. L. Taylor, T. C. Campbell, W. D. Cannon, C. C. Pickering, John King, Logan Hamby, Jeff Clement, Ike Hodges, T. Hunt, Tom Rankin, J. H. Clifton, M. N. Crayne, C. E. Donakey, Harmon Flanary, W. P. Crider, Arthur Nunn, Wm. Duvall, Thomas Brasher.

Another Call.

We are in receipt of a call upon Mr. D. G. Bettis to become a candidate for Assessor on the Democratic ticket. The call is signed by 142 men, and they pledge themselves to support Mr. Bettis if he announces. It reaches us too late for publication this week.

Seed Sweet Potatoes.

I have 100 bushels of nice and sound seed sweet potatoes, good varieties, for sale at 50 cents per bushel at my old stand.

SARAH WHITT.

Clover Seed.

75 bushels good, fresh, home grown clover seed, from $3.50 to $4.00 per bushel. Come quick if you want them.
Jos. Mason,
Cave in Rock, Ils.

FITZ WINS.

The great prize fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons came off at Carson, Nev., yesterday. In the fourteenth round Fitzsimmons hit Corbett a blow over the heart, and the latter was never again able to stand before his antagonist.

A HUNG JURY.

No Agreement Reached in the Boaz Case. Will be no now Trial.

The investigation of the condition of Mrs, E. M. Boaz's mind was not completed until Saturday. The jury could not agree upon a verdict, five holding that she was insane and seven that she was insane. Pending another trial efforts are being made to adjust the family matters and obviate further court proceedings. It was a sensational affair, and to add to the sensation the lawyers got into a quarrel that would have resulted in blows but for prompt interferrence. After a few moments of consternation in court order was restored, and the case proceeded. Messrs. Nunn, Rochester, Blue & Deboe, represented Mrs Boaz; while O. M. James and Moore & Moore, and Kevil represented the other side. After the evidence was in, Kevil made a motion to dismiss; the other attorneys on his side objected, and then for a day and a half the attorneys addressed the jury.

A Suggestion.

Editor Press:—As that true silver man John Howland, believes in uniting the bimetallists of the county, and did all that he could in an honorable way, to induce his party to accept the fair proposition made by the Democrats, in order that the silver forces might remain organized, he is worthy of a place on the ticket, and I would suggest that the Democrats would do a handsome thing by nominating him for jailer. He is competent and worthy, and would add to the strength of the ticket.

Democrat.

Deeds Recorded.

M. A, Davenport to L, A Pollard 10 acres for $100.

J. C. Stephenson to J. J. Bozeman house and lot in Tolu for $450.

The Vineless Sweet Potato.

The vineless sweet potato seems to be growing in popularity. It has three very strong points. First, it is claimed, and not without evidence, that it contains 20 per cent more sugar than any other sweet potato now grown; second, it has no running vines, and very little more top than the Irish potato, making its cultivation easy and inexpensive; third, it yields, according to the experience of those who have grown them, from two to four times as much as any other variety: It also is the most hardy of all, yielding well when the season is entirely unsatisfactory for other varieties.

There are quite a number of imitations on the market, and the public is liable to be deluded in the purchase of these imitations. A. M. Witherspoon, of Marion, has the genuine vineless sweet potato, and in season will have slips for sale.

Louisville, Ky., March 16, 1897—Receipts of cattle were very light, as usual on Tuesday. The market ruled steady and all were sold at unchanged prices.

The calf market was steady, and a few sales of tops took place at $4.25. The rest of the supply was sold at quotations.

Louisville, Feb. 3—

Cattle—extra shipping	$4 25@ 4 40
Light shippings	3 85@ 4 00
Best butchers	3 75@ 4 00
Fair to good butchers	2 75@ 3 50
Common to medium but	2 25@ 2 75
Good to extra oxen	3 00@ 3 50
Common to medium ox.	3 25@ 3 60
Feeders	3 25@ 4 00
Stockers	2 50@ 3 50
Veal calves	3 00@ 5 00
Milk cows—choice	$25 to $35.
Hogs—Choice packing and butchers, 225 to 500	$3.90
Good to extra light	3 95
Fat shoats, 120 to 150lbs,	3 75@
Roughs, 150 to 400lbs	3 00@3 40

Hard-Time Prices!

Strawberries per can	5c	Gooseberries per can	5c
Raspberries " "	5c	Cherries " "	5c
1lb good Tea for	15c	6lb good Coffee	$1,00
5 boxes matches for	5c	11 bars soap for	25c
Dried peaches per lb	3c	Dried apples per lb	3c

Before you buy garden seeds call and see us we have them in bulk. See us for prices on seed potatoes Bring us your eggs, butter, meat and lard.

If you owe us a bill please come and pay it, for we need money to pay bills.

Griffith & Patmor.

NEW SALEM.

Miss Blake Harpending and brother John, have been confined to their beds for the past ten days with the mumps.

The flood on the morning of the 9th did untold damage in this and the Emmaus neighborhoods. In this section Henry Brouster, Geo, Conyers, Bill Brown, Bill Tyner, were the main sufferers, while on Claylick every farm owner, from Lee White's to Turner Hodge's, every thing in the way of fences were swept away, entailing losses to the amount of hundreds of dollars.

Henry Brouster and wife spent part of last week with relatives near Carrsville.

Some of our people went over to Emmaus last Sabbath to hear Rev. Tom Wring preach his first sermon. May Tom succeed in his undertaking is the wish of his friends.

Constable Hurley, of Hurricane, was in this section last week on official business.

Our farmers are getting behind with their work.

FREDONIA.

A. M. Wigginton and Henry Rice went to Princeton Monday.

A large number of candidates for office spoke at Bethlehem Monday night. The house was crowded.

There should be some scheme devised to keep our roads in better condition, they are not properly worked, and hence get to be almost impassible even for horses.

Some of the ladies are soliciting funds to furnish chairs for the prayer meeting room at the C. P. church. The attendance has been unusually large of late and it is a case of necessity to procure more seats.

Henry Thompson, of Harmony, was in town Tuesday.

A house belonging to the Ordway heirs burned Monday evening. A. B. Mosley and children had been living in it for several months; most of the contents were saved.

Several wagons loaded with tobacco nave had to be prized out of mud holes lately in different parts of the county.

W. T. Stokes has a sow that gave birth to 49 pigs within 16 months and 2 days, and 26 pigs within 5 months and 19 days. If anybody owns a sow that can beat that record let it be known.

We defy competition in our line of dress goods and fine shoes, both in quality and price. Bugg & Loyd,

IRON HILL.

Nathan Horning lost a crop of tobacco last week on account of high water. It was bulked up in his barn

W. H. Ordway of Crayneville was in our community last week buying stock.

Singing at E. K, Hill's last Wednesday night.

Rev Barbee preached an excellent sermon at Sugar Grove last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Maria Pickens has been visiting her sister, Mrs Prince Wiston, this week.

Mr. W. H. Mayes, of Dycusburg, was in town yesterday.

Willie Baker, a little son of John Baker, of our county, who has been very ill, is recovering.

The people of our community are making preparation for the Presbytery, which will convene at Sugar Grove April 10th.

REPTON.

Mrs. Nora Stephens returned home Sunday from Sullivan.

Carl Hicklin called on Rays mill again Sunday. Guess Carl didn't miss the train this time.

Mrs. Iril Hughes is on the sick list this week.

Will Thurman has full control of Ray's mill.

Alvis Stephens started to school at Marion Monday.

J. B Easley has a fine six year old mule for sale.

CRAYNEVILLE.

J, O. Tabor has gone into the fish business, buying and selling.

D. W. Deboe is repairing his saw mill this week.

New York Early Rose seed potatoes at Deboe's for 60c bushel.

Jones & Ordway will ship stock from here March 24.

Frank Dorroh is on the sick list.

7 lbs coffee for	$1 00
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Good Tobacco canvass 1 1 2c yd.	

All at Deboe & Co's.

The farmers here are preparing to make another tobacco crop here if the worms will stay off.

If you have anything to weigh, large or small, take it to Deboe's here; they have a fine pair of new stock scales, that are tested and guaranteed,

The farmers most all report that their tobacco is falling short of what they expected in weight.

You can get a pair of good boots for what a pair of shoes will cost you at Deboe's,

Mr. Tom P. Moore, the popular salesman in a Cincinnati house, was in town Tuesday.

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SALE NOTICE!

I will, on Thursday March 25, '97, at the residence of the late M. N. Crayne, decd, sell to the highest and best bidder all the personal property of same, consisting of stock of all kinds of farming implements and household goods:

Terms of sale: sums of $5 and over twelve months time, note with approved security bearing six per cent interest: sums under $5 cash in hand.

Come everybody, one fine two year old jack and five jennetts to sell.

J. Frank Conger, Admr.

Stray Cow.

A white roan cow, red neck and head, weight about 850 lbs, came to my farm some four weeks ago The owner can have same by calling for her and paying charges

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THE HERO OF NORWAY.

Nansen's Countrymen Take a National Pride in His Undertakings.

Although the extraordinary enthusiasm with which the cool and unenthusiastic Norwegians everywhere received Nansen on his return home may be attributed largely to national pride in the success of a most difficult undertaking, it was obvious to all who witnessed this reception—a memorable sight indeed—that it was also stimulated to a high degree by the personality and the record of a man who may be set down as one of the most striking men of the day.

Nansen is a hero in Norway, and that simply because he is a hero, or because at any rate in his character and achievements he approaches closer to the popular interpretation of that title than any man that one knows of. He has the build of one, to begin with. He has been compared with the Vikings of old by the poets of his country, since his return; but this comparison has been made long ago by his countrymen. Indeed, the sight of the man, writes the correspondent of the Buffalo Post Express, even to one who knows nothing of the extraordinary feats of endurance and courage which he has performed, is enough to remind one of the Norse heroes, who infused into the Anglo-Saxon race those qualities of courage and endurance which have made the English-speaking people what it is, the predominant race of the world. He is a man of extraordinary strength, and as to this there are a hundred stories current. As a lad he could hold his own against six boys of his own age, so his biographers relate, and as a man he has certainly maintained these proportions.

One has heard of the London pickpocket who, having attempted to snatch Dr. Nansen's watch, was gripped by the young Norwegian, and held fast with one hand in a grip so powerful that, as Mr. Bain has related, "his wrist was nearly crushed, and he said that he would rather go to jail for a month than let that gentleman get hold of him again." At Tromso, the other day, when at the feast of welcome, he was proposing Capt. Sverdrup's health, he suddenly lifted his shipmate up and held him aloft with one arm, so that everybody in the crowded hall could get a sight of the comrade to whom he admits so great an obligation. And these things are as nothing compared to the feats of sheer muscular strength which, with characteristic modesty, are described in his book on "The First Crossing of Greenland" and in the book which he is now writing.

There is no country in Europe more democratic than Norway, where, as long since as 1848, all titles of nobility were abolished and it was made a penal offense for any to use such. Yet even in the most democratic countries the respect of the people will go out more readily to the man who comes of a long line of ancestors, such as for centuries have distinguished the name of Nansen. Thousands of those who shouted themselves hoarse during his triumphal progress down the coast of Norway and through the streets of Christiania remembered no doubt with heightened enthusiasm, the Hans Nansen, his direct ancestor, who in the first years of the seventeenth century—a mere lad—explored the White sea, sailed to Petschora, and, indeed, with such equipment as he had, fought as valiant a fight against the ice and the night of the Arctic regions as, nearly 300 years after, his descendant was to do. No doubt his memory was many times in Fridtjof Nansen's mind, as he pushed on and on farther and farther north, as a spur and incentive alone. There can be few men, if any, who are endowed with more modesty.—N. Y. Ledger.

An Ancient Bat.

A queer story is told of an English naturalist, who died in 1860, and was buried at Blankney, in Lincolnshire. Among his pets was a large grey bat. This bat was permited to enter the tomb, and was sealed up alive along with the corpse of his dead master. In 1866 the vault was opened, and to the surprise of all the bat was alive and fat. On four different occasions since the relatives of the dead man have looked after the welfare of his pet, and each time it has been reported that the bat was still in the land of the living, although occupying quarters with the dead. It was last seen in 1892.

The Carrier Pigeon in Medicine.

According to a medical journal, a Scotch doctor has utilized the carrier pigeon as an urgent messenger in his practice, which evidently extends over a wide area. On his rounds he carries a few pigeons, and they in turn carry his prescription notes back to his dispensary, where an assistant makes up and dispatches medicine. In special cases the doctor leaves a pigeon at the residence of a patient, and when it is advisable to summon him he is soon advised and on the way.

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WATCHES MADE OF IRON.

Fad for Black Metal Instead of Gold and Silver.

Small metal articles usually worn by ladies or gentlemen which of late were principally made of silver are now being manufactured of iron or steel. This fad has become very popular in France and Germany, and quite an industry in these articles has grown up in the manufactureing centers of these countries. Match safes, key-rings and chains, knife blades, scissors, buttonhook handles, cigarette cases, powder boxes and any number of articles of this description are now made of iron. They are first stamped or wrought out of the sheet metal, then very carefully polished and cleansed with benzine, after which they are subjected to a treatment which gives the articles a permanent black color. This black coloring is applied by a concentrated solution of nitrate of copper in alcohol while the articles are being slightly heated. By mixing nitrate of copper with nitrate of manganese, various tints between blue-black and a brownish black may be obtained. This process is used in the great industrial establishments of Pforzheim and Adar with much success. Particular care must be taken that the object to be tinted black is finely polished and absolutely clean, otherwise flaws will occur in the coloring. After being allowed to dry for a few hours, the black iron articles are covered with a very thin film of varnish or simply rubbed off with a waxed brush.

A LIBERAL-MINDED LOSER.

His Experience Was Expensive and He Didn't Have the Fun.

"What is that big book in the corner?" said the young man who had called at young Mr. Easylad's apartments, says the Detroit Free Press.

"That's my scrap book."

"Full of pictures and poetry and stuff, I suppose?"

"No. Souvenirs. Take a look into it."

Lifting the ponderous volume to a table the visitor opened it and exclaimed: "Why, this looks like a collection of lottery tickets."

"That shows you never played the races. They're tickets that the bookmakers gave me in exchange for a liberal percentage of my income. They're certificates of stock in enterprises that never declared a dividend. They're receipts for a liberal fee in a long course of tuition in the school of experience."

"Most people tear up things like these, do they not?"

"Yes. But I saved them. I wanted them to remind me of the good times I paid for and never had. They represent experiences that belong to the poetic past and which will never be repeated."

"You mean that you are going to stay away from the race track hereafter?"

"Yes."

"That shows your good sense. It costs a lot of money in the end."

"I don't begrudge the money so much. It wasn't my cupidity that rebelled. It was my pride."

CLEVER SEA DOG.

This Canine Chews Tobacco and Blows Out a Match.

"Grip" is the name given to a remarkable dog that follows the fortunes of the Neptune liner Ohio, on account of the tenacious hold of life he has shown, he having fallen from the ship into mid-ocean no less than three times, says the New York Journal. He is a cross between a Bedlington and a Skye terrier, and does many things that other dogs do not do.

He will eat raw potatoes ravenously, but will not touch meat. The sailors have taught him to chew tobacco, and he has developed a taste for whisky and water, under the influence of which he does many foolish things and shows a bad temper.

He will blow out lighted matches. He has one trick of standing on his hind legs and by a little twist throwing into the air and thence into his mouth any article placed on his nose.

His greatest accomplishment is to select at word of command a given coin out of a collection composed of a halfpenny, penny, sixpence, shilling and half-crown, which are laid on the floor of the captain's cabin. Grip being sent below, with the command: 'Bring me the shilling," or whatever it may be that is asked for.

Victoria's Larder.

When a dinner is given at Windsor or Buckingham palace fish to a huge outlay of money is ordered, but for ordinary family dinner three kinds of fish are put on the table, whiting being almost invariably one of them. A sirloin of beef is cooked every day and put on the sideboard cold for luncheon. Her majesty's wine, which is well known to be incomparable, is kept in the cellar of St. James' palace and is sent in basketfuls of three dozen to wherever her majesty may be, this being done more for the household and guests than for herself, as when alone she drinks only very weak whisky and water with her meals, by her physician's orders.

When the Heart Rests.

Nature takes the time when one is lying down to give the heart rest, and that organ consequently makes ten strokes less a minute than when one is in an upright posture. Multiply that by 60 minutes, and it is 600 strokes. Therefore, in eight hours spent in lying down the heart is saved nearly 5,000 strokes, and, as the heart pumps six ounces of blood with each stroke, it lifts 30,000 ounces less of blood in a night of eight hours spent in bed than when one is in an upright position. As the blood flows so much more slowly through the veins when one is lying down, one must supply with extra covering the warmth usually furnished by circulation.

The Little Finger.

Adepts in palmistry assert that the length of the fourth or little finger is the most imporant sign in the hand. There is no man, they say, who rises to importance in any line of life without a long and straight little finger.

Bilious Colic.

Persons who are subject to attacks of bilious colic will be pleased to know that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, and if taken as soon as the first indication of the disease appears, it will prevent the attack. For sale by J. H. Orme.

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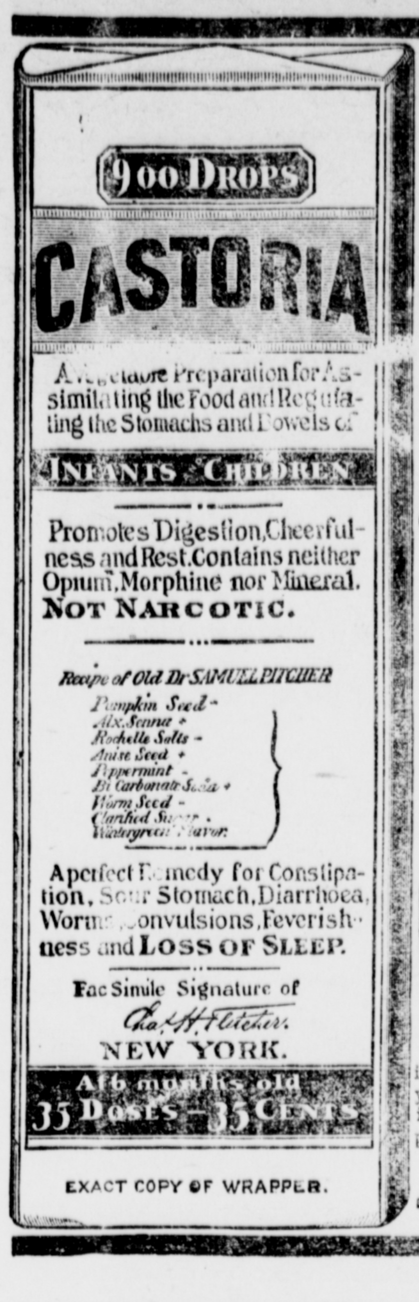

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H. A. Haynes, Adm'r, of Philip Fritts Dec'd } Plaintiff
Against } Notice.
Philip Fritts' Heirs and Creditors } Defendants

All persons having claims agains, the estate of Philip Fritts deceased are notified to file same, fully proven as required by law, with Albert Wilborn Master Commissiones Crittenden Circuit Court, on or before March 22, 1897, or they will be barred.

Given under my hand as clerk of said court, this 22nd day of February 1897.

H. A. Haynes, Clerk,
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GOING EAST.

	No. 42.	No. 44.
Lv Henderson	7:20 A. M.	2:55 P. M
At Louisville	1:00 P. M.	8.00 P. M

GOING WEST.

	No. 43.	No. 41.
Lv Louisville	6:30 P. M.	7:45 A. M
Ar Henderson	11:55 A. M.	1:15 P. M

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This is my last year as sheriff; this is my last year to collect up the unpaid taxes, and it becomes my imperative duty to collect; there is no way for me to avoid this; it simply must be done. However much I may regret it, I am bound by my bond and by my duties as an officer to push these collections. All owing taxes will please take notice of this and get ready to pay without delay. I can not wait longer, do not ask it.

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TIME CARD.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

	DAILY No. 1	DAILY No. 3
Lv. Evansville	6 15 am	4.20 pm
Ar. Henderson	7,02 "	5.08 "
" Morganfield	7,55 "	6:03 "
" Marion	9.21 "	7,35 "
" Princeton	10.21 "	8,40 "
" Hopkinsville	11.30 pm	9;50 "

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

	DAILY No. 2	DAILY No. 4
Lv. Hopkinsville	5.20 am	3.30 pm
" Princeton	6.37 "	4.45 "
" Marion	7.31 "	5.41 "
" Morganfield	9.02 "	7,12 "
" Henderson	9.52 "	8,07 "
" Evansville	10 40 "	8.55 "

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Lv. Morganfield	9,10 am	7.15 pm
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Lv. Uniontown	7.25 am	5.25 pm
Ar. Morganfield	7.50 am	5.50 pm

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